



# TEXAS VETERANS COMMISSION

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## News Release

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### **Military Veterans Receive Much Needed Support At Benefits Fair**

**DALLAS** – Military Veterans will get help with employment, disability compensation, education, home and land loans, and other state and federal benefits at a free Benefits Fair on Saturday February 26, 2011, from 10:00am – 1:00pm at the Crowne Plaza Hotel Dallas - Market Center, 7050 Stemmons Freeway, Dallas, 75247.

The DFW metroplex is home to the largest Veterans population in Texas. Over 300,000 Veterans live in Dallas, Denton and Tarrant counties.

“Many military Veterans do not realize they earned valuable benefits through their service to our country,” says Thomas Palladino, Executive Director of the Texas Veterans Commission. “This Benefits Fair gives Veterans and their families a chance to meet face-to-face with Texas Veterans Commission counselors who work in the areas of VA claims, Employment Services and Education Benefits to get information that can significantly improve their lives.”

The Benefits Fair is open to all Texas Veterans and their families. The Texas Veterans Commission, Veterans Land Board, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, other federal and state agencies as well as nonprofit organizations will be on hand to answer questions.

#### Texas Veterans Commission

The Texas Veterans Commission’s mission is to advocate for and provide superior service to Veterans and their families in the areas of disability claims assistance, employment services, education benefits and grant funding. Over 200 skilled counselors in 75 cities provide one-on-one guidance to Veterans and their families to ensure they receive all of the benefits to which they are entitled.

For more information, go to [www.TexasVeteransCommission.org](http://www.TexasVeteransCommission.org)